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 - Exhibit A
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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180
<u>Total Claims</u>		
<u>Extra Claims</u>		
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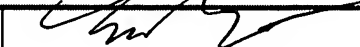
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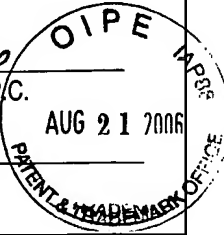
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

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Application No.: 10/016,282

Filed: 12/06/2001

For: **METHODS FOR PREVENTING
LESIONS CAUSED BY VIRUSES OF THE
HERPESVIRIDAE OR POXVIRIDAE
FAMILY**

Examiner: SAN MING R. HUI

Art Unit: 1617

Confirmation No: 4202

**RENEWED PETITION UNDER 37
C.F.R. §1.137(b)**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is a Renewed Petition Under 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) filed in response to a Decision on a Petition filed on 26 April 2006 (mailed on April 17, 2006) under 37 C.R.F. §1.137(b).

The following documents are enclosed herewith:

- 1) Exhibit A: Letter showing transfer of files to petitioner on December 13, 2004.

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REMARKS

In the Decision mailed June 19, 2006, in response to the Petition Under 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) mailed on April 17, 2006, the Examiner noted that the subject application went abandoned by operation of law after midnight 8 May, 2005 and a Notice of Abandonment was mailed on 21 September, 2005. On April 26, 2006 (mailed on April 17, 2006) Petitioner filed the petition with fee and made the reply in the form of an amendment and sought to make the statement of unintentional delay.

The Examiner alleged the Petitioner did not satisfy the "statement" of regulatory requirement under 37 C.R.F.R. §1.137(b) because petitioner was not attorney of record on the date of abandonment (8 May 2006).

Petitioner notes that the subject file was transferred to the Quine Intellectual Property Law Group, P.C. by Hogan & Hartson, L.L.P. on December 10, 2004 (*see*, Attached Exhibit A). **Thus petitioner was in possession of the subject application on the abandonment date of May 8, 2005.**

Moreover Petitioner is presently attorney of record (*see*, Change of Correspondence Address and Power of Attorney filed on April 18, 2006).

In addition, Petitioner notes that 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) does not require that the "statement" be made by the attorney of record.

As Petitioner's firm was in possession of the present application on the abandonment date of 8, May 2005, Petitioner (the undersigned) is in a position to know and hereby states that: The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) was unintentional.

Petitioner further notes that a proper response in the form of an amendment was filed with the Petition Under 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) mailed on April 17, 2006.

In the event that fees are required for this Renewed Petition, the Commissioner is to charge any additional fees that may be required, or to credit any overpayment to the Deposit Account Number 50-0893

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If a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at (510) 769-3513.

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Exhibit A



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Re: Life Force Technologies File Transfer

Dear Tom:


In accordance with instructions from Tom Konowalchuk, under separate cover we are shipping to you two boxes containing Life Force Technologies patent prosecution files. These two boxes include the US patent prosecution files as well as all PCT and foreign files.

To further assist you in identifying matters requiring attention now or in the future, enclosed is a copy of our patent status report for pending patent matters. The patent status report is intended to assist you, but we expect that you will be individually reviewing all of the patent files so as to identify all actions you believe are required. Nonetheless, without representing that the following list is complete, we bring to your attention the following matters requiring immediate attention.

Docket No.	Serial No.	Action	Date
LFT000	09/795,279	Response to provoke advisory action	12/20/04
LFT000	09/795,279	Final rejection due	1/20/05
LFT000 IND	01489/DELNP/2003	Corres. App. Info.	1/31/05
LFT000 ISRL	157596	IPER provided to agent	1/5/04

Please acknowledge receipt of these files by signing and dating below and returning a copy of this letter to me.

Sincerely,


Stuart T. Langley
of Hogan & Hartson L.L.P.

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cc: Tom Konowalchuk

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